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TO : Director of Training

DATE: 25 May 1956

FROM : Chief, Plans & Policy Staff

SUBJECT: Weekly Activity Report #21

I. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS: NoneII. OTHER ITEMS:

1. Country Command War Plan - This Staff reviewed and commented on war operations plans from two Far Eastern country commands.
2. Long-Term Schedule of Courses - The Schedule has been published and distributed to the TLO's. If the new schedule on BOC and Communism courses can be arranged in a few days, that schedule will be printed and distributed with textual changes in the Catalog during the first weeks of June.
3. DD/S TLO Meeting - Among the items discussed at this meeting were:
 - a. OTR Bulletin - Comments were very favorable to the utility of the Bulletin for TLO's.
 - b. BOC Evaluations - TLO's were favorable to the idea of receiving new information on student performance.
 - c. Language Training Regulations - Status of the proposed regulations was discussed with the group.
 - d. [] - The general prospectus of this program and revisions to the BOC were discussed with the group.
 - e. Senior Defense Schools and other external courses - The revised procedures for selecting candidates for these external courses were explained to the group. This will be the subject of an Agency regulation.
 - f. Writing Workshop - [] discussed enrollments in the course and the schedule for the next presentation.
 - g. CENIS Program - [] discussed the broad concept of the program, pointing out its probable lack of applicability to DD/S personnel.

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4. Clandestine Services Cold War Plans - This Staff reviewed and commented on the final drafts of operational programs (FY 1957 - Revised and FY 1958 - Initial) of FE, IO and SE Divisions.
5. Field Trip Briefings - [] briefed the Chief, FI Operations, and the Clandestine Services Training Committee on observations gathered on his recent field trip with the Director of Training. The Committee on Indirect Assessment was also briefed resulting in some reorientation of the Committee's thinking. 25X1
6. Support Planning Briefings - [] are beginning a series of discussions with area division administrative officers on support planning problems. 25X1
7. The Office of Training paper dealing with mobilization requirements for psychological consultants was discussed by representatives of the Office of Personnel, the Office of Security, the General Counsel and the Office of Training. It was agreed that the recommendations contained in this document required some modification.
8. Meetings were held with the Training Officer, DD/P, to determine the Clandestine Services requirements for training in connection with the recently announced Agency policy for "captured personnel."
9. A meeting was held with three members of the CI Staff, DD/P, to obtain their guidance as to the scope of instruction which CIA might provide for students at The National War College.
10. Revised drafts of Agency regulation [] subject, "Development of Foreign Language Skills and Foreign Language Incentive Awards," were coordinated with representatives of the Office of Personnel, Regulations Control Staff, and the Office of Training. A meeting at 1030 on 1 June 1956, has been scheduled with the Task Force for final coordination of these drafts. The information regarding the personnel requirements, the schedule of awards and the languages which will be included in the Incentive Awards Program has been furnished to this Staff by Chief, [] and is being prepared for action by the Director of Training. 25X1
11. The draft regulation [] subject, "Junior Officer Training Program," was completed and coordinated with the Deputy Director of Personnel. His comments were prepared as addenda to the regulation together with the waiver clause requested by General Cabell. The Office of Personnel provided this Staff with a 25X1

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draft "blueprint" of OTR-Office of Personnel relationships in putting the expanded JOT Program into effect. This draft is being modified to incorporate OTR views and will be discussed with the Deputy Director of Personnel together with the revisions of the regulation. Concurrently, Chief, JOT Program, is preparing a draft instruction to the university consultants at the request of the Deputy Director of Personnel. These instructions will form the basis of revision to the Recruiters Handbook for the JOT Program which will be undertaken by the Office of Personnel. In addition, the Office of Personnel is preparing a handout for JOT candidates which, if cleared by the Office of Security, will be submitted to OTR for concurrence as part of the "blueprint."

III. PERSONNEL ITEMS: None



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